

A rewarding career with the RCMP

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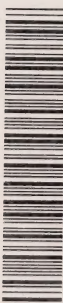
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It could be for you

The Royal Canadian Mounted Police and you

Known and respected throughout the world, the Royal Canadian Mounted Police today is a modern and progressive organization utilizing the most sophisticated methods of crime prevention and detection. For the young man or woman interested in law enforcement, the Force offers an interesting and rewarding career.

It's a life of variety with activities ranging from investigation to patrol duties; from community service to law enforcement. To a large extent it's an outdoor life with the opportunity to work with people and assist them in many ways. Equally important, it's a chance to be proud of what you're doing for yourself and Canada.

As a member of the Force, you're assured of an excellent salary and benefits, of promotion based on your abilities. You'll travel within Canada and work side by side with other young people whose ideals and aspirations are much like your own. Think about it. The R.C.M.P. could be the perfect career for you.

Qualifications

Basic qualifications for acceptance as a member of the Force are that you be a Canadian citizen between the ages of 18* and 29; in good physical condition; have completed Grade 11 or equivalent and be fluent in the English or French language. You may be married or single. Minimum height requirements are 5'8" for men, 5'4" for women.

Enlistment

Applications for enlistment in the Force are accepted at any R.C.M.P. office in Canada, or you may call or write your nearest divisional headquarters as shown on the back of this brochure. Applicants who meet the basic qualifications are required to write an education test; be medically examined; fingerprinted and to produce proof of name, age and education. After passing this initial stage, applicants are personally interviewed. This provides the opportunity to obtain additional information about a career in the R.C.M.P. and provides the Force with more information about the applicant's abilities and personality.

*Applications are accepted at age 18 but enlistment takes place only at age 19.

The RCMP today

As the only Federal police force, the R.C.M.P. is the law enforcement arm of the Canadian Government. Under the control of the Solicitor-General, it is directed by a Commissioner from Headquarters in Ottawa. The Force is responsible for country-wide enforcement of Federal laws and in all provinces except Quebec and Ontario, performs the duties of provincial police. As well, through special agreements, the Force polices a number of towns and municipalities.

Together with the usual police duties the R.C.M.P. is involved in activities as varied as narcotics control; prevention of organized smuggling; maintenance of national security, and investigation of commercial crime. Through INTERPOL, the Force works with police organizations throughout the world in control of international crime.

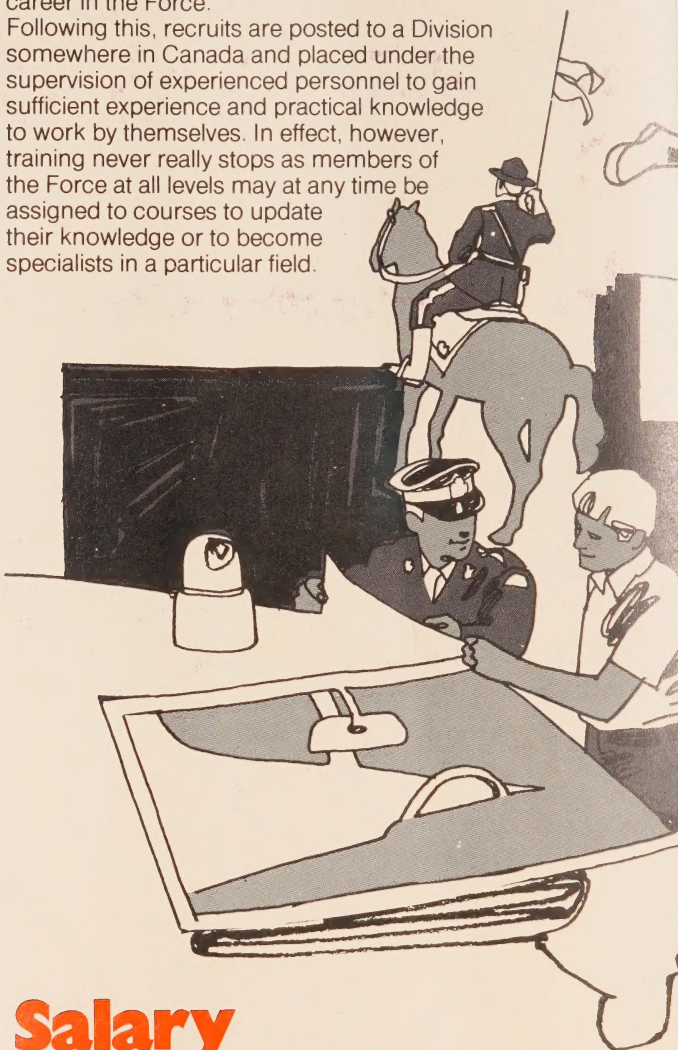


Many of these activities are combined operations with assistance and support provided by the facilities and specialists employed in the Force's "Air" and "Marine" Services; the computerized Canadian Police Information Centre; the Telecommunications Branch; the Identification Branch; and modern Crime Detection Laboratories. Together with the operational divisions across Canada, these resources enable the RCM Police to maintain its heritage as one of the most respected and efficient police forces in the world.

Training

Upon enlistment, the recruit is posted to the Training Division at Regina, Saskatchewan, for an intensive 22-week training period. Here, together with physical fitness training, instruction is given in law, investigation methods, report writing, swimming, first aid and many other subjects necessary for a career in the Force.

Following this, recruits are posted to a Division somewhere in Canada and placed under the supervision of experienced personnel to gain sufficient experience and practical knowledge to work by themselves. In effect, however, training never really stops as members of the Force at all levels may at any time be assigned to courses to update their knowledge or to become specialists in a particular field.



Salary and Benefits

Starting salary in the Force is comparable to and, in fact, above that of many police forces. There are regular increases during the first four years and, after that, increases upon promotion to a higher rank. Members are provided full medical and dental care; uniforms and equipment and 21 days annual leave with pay. An excellent pension plan exists based on years of service. A group life insurance plan is available at a reasonable cost.



Per Annum Salary

Constable	First Level	\$10,794.
	Second Level	11,550.
	Third Level	12,359.
	Fourth Level	13,224.
	Fifth Level	14,150.
Corporal	First Level	15,112.
	Second Level	15,565.
Sergeant	First Level	16,486.
	Second Level	16,980.
Staff/Sergeant	First Level	17,859.
	Second Level	18,395.
Sergeant Major & Staff/Sergeant Major		18,515.
Corps Sergeant Major		18,575.
Officers—commencing at		19,900.

N.B. All recruits are engaged in the rank of Constable (First Level).



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